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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of)
Gary T. Dane, et al.) Group: 3727
Serial No.: 10/685,247)
Filed: October 14, 2003)
Title: ORTHOPAEDIC INSTRUMENT) Examiner: Stephen J. Castelland
STERILIZATION CASE)

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL SHEET

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

			CLAIMS AS AMENDE	D		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	18	MINUS	19	0	x \$25 x \$50	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	MINUS	5	0	x \$100 x \$200	0.00
	FEE FOR MULTIPLE	E CLAIMS \$1	130/\$260			
	•		TOTAL ADDITIONAL	L FEE FOR THIS AN	MENDMENT	\$0.00

- [] Credit card payment form PTO-2038 in the amount of \$0.00 is enclosed to cover the additional fees.
- [X] Credit Card payment form in the amount of \$\frac{60.00}{15}\$ to cover the Extension fee for response within the (1st) month is enclosed.
- [] Applicants authorize the additional fees in the amount of \$\(\frac{*}{2}\) be charged to Deposit Account No. 20-0095, TAYLOR & AUST, P.C.

Respectfully submitted,

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